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Sir:

Transmitted herewith under 37 CFR § 1.53 for filing is the patent application of:

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Entitled: RULES BASED REAL-TIME COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

This is a request for filing a [] continuation [] divisional [X] [X] continuation in-part application under §1.53(b) of prior Application No. 10/367,617, filed February 14, 2003, entitled: RULES BASED REAL-TIME COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- 52 pages of written description, claims and Abstract, inclusive
- [X] 16 sheets of [X] informal [] formal drawings of Figs. 1-16 (one set)
- Oath or Declaration [X]
 - Newly executed (original or copy)
 - prior [] application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) continuation/divisional). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
 - To be filed later [X]
- Cover sheet and Assignment of the invention to: including a check in the amount of \$ for recordation fee.
- [] Certified copy of a application (if foreign priority is claimed) with letter claiming priority under Rule 55.
- Information Disclosure Statement with ____ citations enclosed. []
- [] Preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- [X] Return receipt postcard
- Small entity status is entitled to be, and hereby is, asserted for this [X] application.

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[]	Other:					
[X)	Priority is claimed under 35 USC § 120 as indicated on the attached sheet 4.					
[)	Priority is claimed under 35 USC §119(a)-(d) as indicated on the attached sheet 4.					
[)	Priority is claimed under 35 USC §119 (e) as indicated on the attached sheet 4.					
[X		Richard E. Gamache is hereby appointed Associate Attorney by: Registration No.: 39,196 Attorney of Record: Gordon R. Moriarty Registration No.: 38,973					
[]	Power of Attorney in the originally-filed application has been granted to one or more of the registered attorneys listed below. The attorneys listed below not previously granted power in the originally-filed application, as well as, are hereby given associate power: Registration No.:					
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[]	Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.					
[]	Add in this application claims per amendment before calculating fee.					

CLAIMS FILED:	MINUS	BASE:	EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	BASIC FEE:	
					\$770.00	
Independent	2 -	3	= 0	x \$86.00 =	0	
Total	23 -	20	= 3	x \$18.00 =	54.00	
[] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation) + \$290.00 = 0						
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- [] The filing fee has been calculated above; a check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
- [X] The filing fee will be submitted at a later date.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR §1.17 is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.
- [X] Customer Number 207

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[] The above-	identified provisional app	plication(s) is/are assigned

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